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TOO PROUD TO BEG, HIS THEFT IS CONDONED

Athlete and Linguist. Out of Work and Hungry, Snatches Woman's Purse.

IS FREED BY POLICE

Detectives Give Him Money and Neighbors Care for Him and Wife.

DESPERATE FROM HUNGER

Married After Hospital Courtship, but Couldn't Keep in Work for Livelihood.

Oliver Hamilton, son of a minister, 29 years old, weighing 180 pounds, and in good health, who told the police that in his misfortune of idleness he was too proud to beg, but for one fateful moment was not too honest to steal, is suffering from a threatening cold contracted in the holdover, and his wife is seeking employment as a nurse.

He has 30 cents of the \$2 given him by Assistant Chief of Detectives Keely and Capt. Reynolds when he was released Sunday, but that is the extent of the family funds.

He and his wife are being cared for by Edward Sebastian and his wife at their home, 1511 Osborn avenue, where the Hamiltons have been rooming for several weeks.

Monday Sylvester Kenny, a grocer at 1409 Osborn avenue, learned of Hamilton's plight and sent him a basket of provisions with the compliments of himself and wife.

Mrs. Hamilton, a frail young woman, showing plainly the deprivations endured during her stay in St. Louis, returned to her home Monday noon after another fruitless quest for work.

With shoes whose soles permitted the stockings to run the sidewalks at each step, she answered unsuccessfully a number of advertisements for "girls wanted" that appeared in the morning papers.

She greeted her husband affectionately. "I shall stick by my husband," she said. "What he did he did for me, and we were both in a desperate straits. I am a trained nurse, a graduate of a Detroit hospital, but it has just been impossible for me to get a steady position here. Both my husband and I are willing to do any work in the world of which we are capable, but we haven't been able to secure positions. Some people have been very kind to us, and I think their good cheer will help us out."

Hamilton is an Eton graduate, and a linguist of much versatility. His father is rector of an Episcopal church in Detroit. Some months ago Hamilton was working in that city as a hospital nurse; in the same hospital was Miss Etta Menancy. They fell in love and were married without Hamilton's family's consent. His father was very much displeased.

Employers Disappeared.

Several weeks ago Hamilton and his wife came to St. Louis. He sought employment as a bookkeeper or at other clerical work. He patronized employment agencies, which took his money and sent him to positions that failed to satisfy him.

He got employment as a book agent, and worked until he had earned \$14 commissions. When he went to collect the book agency was closed and his commissions gone.

He went as butler on the steam yacht Scimitar of A. B. Hart of 19 Portland place, when Mr. Hart made an eight-day cruise with a party of 20.

"I exhausted myself washing dishes," said Hamilton today. "I ruined my clothes. At the end of the cruise Mr. Hart gave me \$150. I told him of my hard luck, but he said that was all I was worth to him."

Then he got a job with a street grading gang. After a few hours he was discharged without explanation.

"I suppose my services were unsatisfactory," he said. "For while I look big and strong, I am quite weakened by the long period of privation I have undergone."

Hungry and Desperate.

All this time Hamilton and his wife were living at their room in the Sebastian home. Their chief food was bread and onions, for breakfast, dinner and supper.

Saturday Hamilton says he was desperate. He had no money and no prospect of getting any.

"I told my wife," he said, "I was going out to get work if possible; if I couldn't get work I was going to do something desperate."

"I could not get the work. Everywhere I went I met with a refusal. I was hungry; I knew my wife was hungry."

"Night had come. I was wandering aimlessly up and down Broadway. The theater crowds began to pass. I watched them. Their good humor, their contentment made my situation seem worse."

"At Locust street I met two women. From the hand of one I caught a purse. She carried it carefully—as though she did not care for it except as a trinket,

MAN WHO STOLE FOR HUNGRY WIFE



OLIVER HAMILTON.
—Merello Portrait.

LEWIS DECLARES DIRECTORS LIABLE

Promoter of People's Bank Declares Secretary of State Passed on Note.

\$146,000 FOR ORGANIZING

Carried as Asset, Charged to Expense—Order Stockholders to Present Claims.

E. G. Lewis, President of the People's United States Bank, made a statement Monday about the note for over \$146,000 which Attorney-General Hadley stated in the Circuit Court at Clayton Saturday had disappeared from the assets of the bank.

He says the money was spent in organizing the bank and that careful record was kept with vouchers, which were submitted for the examination of the Secretary of State. He was time and again requested to pass on them, and Mr. Lewis says the bank people were finally given to understand that it was a matter for the directors to pass on.

It was not the intention, he says, to have the expense fall on the capital directly, but to be worked out gradually.

Directors Liable, He Says.

The directors, he says, and a joint note for the amount, making themselves liable until it should be worked out.

He says that when Secretary of State Swanwick appointed directors they had an accountant examine the records and vouchers for the expense and he reported them correct.

The directors, he says, then ordered the item, which had been carried as an asset, charged to expense, and the note canceled, which was done.

An order was issued by Judge McElwaine of the Circuit Court at Clayton Monday directing Receiver Esen, of the People's United States Bank to cause notice to be given, by publication and mail, to the stockholders of the bank, to present their claims before the first Monday in December and the first Monday in March. Publication is to be in the St. Louis County Waldman-Advocate and the Woman's Magazine and one St. Louis paper. A suggestion made by Attorney-General Hadley that the publication be in other papers was not accepted.

Inform Stockholders.

On the suggestion of the Attorney-General, however, the receiver was directed to give stockholders an approximation of what they would receive on their stock and to ask them whether they have assigned their stock, to whom, and whether they want to abide by the assigned terms.

The time allowed for sending in the claims is a month less than Esen suggested should be allowed.

and yet it contained money enough to quiet the pangs of hunger of myself and wife.

"The thought maddened me. I caught the purse and with it I went to Locust street. The woman screamed; I heard a man running after me, and turned on Sixth street toward Olive. The man was a policeman; he caught me and took me back to where the woman stood. She kindly refused to prosecute me when she recovered her purse, but the policeman took me to the station."

Sorry for Wife.

"The thought that I had been a thief came over me and appalled me. I gave my correct name and address; the policeman did not believe me. I was horrified by the thought of my wife, who was waiting for me at home, and helpless to go to her. The night was a long one."

Sunday Hamilton was taken before the police and detectives, and told his story. It was confirmed when his wife, learning of his arrest, went to the Four Courts to see him. Keely was touched by the wife's story. He asked for Hamilton's release, and Capt. Reynolds told him he was free.

Mrs. Sebastian says she will assist them as much as possible. Now he has a \$100 job at the City Hall," she said today, as she made coffee for Hamilton. "A politician that is to be down on your luck, and well to all we can to help these unfortunate people."

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GIANTS FAIL TO SCORE IN THREE INNINGS

Even Playing Marks the Open- ing of World's Championship.

30,000 FANS ARE PRESENT

From New York Came Five Thousand Rooters, With Bands.

PLANK AND MATHEWSON

Premier Pitchers of Each League Selected to Twirl.

The batting order: Athletics—Harrell, 1b.; Jones, 2b.; Dahlen, 3b.; Davis, 4b.; Lewis, 5b.; Seibold, 6b.; Murphy, 7b.; Schreck, 8b.; Mathewson, 9b. Philadelphia—E. J. Connelley, 1b.; E. J. Connelley, 2b.; E. J. Connelley, 3b.; E. J. Connelley, 4b.; E. J. Connelley, 5b.; E. J. Connelley, 6b.; E. J. Connelley, 7b.; E. J. Connelley, 8b.; E. J. Connelley, 9b.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 9.—The Athletics of the American League and the New Yorks of the National League played the first game of the series for the championship of the world.

The one which first wins four games will be proclaimed the victor. The games are under the direct supervision of the National Commission, and it will see to it that they are fairly played and each team given a square deal.

At 8 o'clock this morning it was announced that every seat in the ball park, which has a capacity of 30,000, had been sold, and hours before the gates were thrown open fully 10,000 people were outside waiting to get in the grounds.

When play was started at 3 o'clock the Athletics, led by Seibold, were packed with humanity, eager to see the great contest, and there was scarcely enough room for the good playing field.

It was estimated that 30,000 people were within the park inclosure.

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WIFE'S AUNT GAVE "COUNT" OLD CLOTHES

"Countess" Lechinsky's Relative Says She Called Him "No Account."

TALKED OF MILLIONS

But He Was Just a Jefferson Guard, Say Fair Officers.

IS EXPOSED BY FATHER

Tried to Break Into Society Here and Won Handsome Girl.

St. Louis relatives of "Countess" Mae Lechinsky, who married "Count" Judah Leon Lechinsky of "Rostow-Dan," were astonished and chagrined to learn from press dispatches that Ethel S. Lechinsky of New York City, "father of the 'count'" repudiates his son's pretensions and says that his son has no valid claim to the title he claimed while in St. Louis during the World's Fair. Mrs. Cecelia Nichols, a wealthy woman of 1057 Page avenue, is the grandmother of the "countess."

Mrs. Simon Lederer, a daughter of Mrs. Nichols and aunt of the "countess," entertained her niece at her home, 513A Whittier street, at the time of her marriage to Lechinsky. Mrs. Lederer is now living at the Monticello Hotel.

Mrs. Myers Suspicious.

Mrs. Treas Myers of 4057 Page boulevard, an aunt of the "Countess," says that she was the only member of the family who doubted the extravagant claims of the pseudo count.

"He lived at my mother's home here for three months after his marriage to 'Countess' Lechinsky. I never saw anything to justify me in believing that he was a member of the Russian nobility, as he claimed to be."

In fact he seemed to have no money that I could call him the "no account" to his face.

Lechinsky married Miss Mae Feist of 1221 Tremont avenue, Kansas City, Mo., while she was in St. Louis attending the fair.

Carroll celebrated the nuptials, which were in the nature of a surprise to the relatives.

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St. Louis "Countess" of Questioned Title



"COUNTRESS" MAE LESCHINSKY.

he was entitled to, he gave banquets at the Tyrolean Alps and attempted to share in important social functions on the strength of his claim to nobility.

The banquets were given after his marriage to Miss Feist, Aug. 12, 1904. She was a beautiful young woman and her family connections in St. Louis were of some advantage to the "Count."

Grateful for Old Clothes.

Mrs. Treas Myers Monday ridiculed the claim that Lechinsky makes to either title or fortune.

"He was able to fool my sisters and maids," she said, "but I saw through him. He lived here for three months after his marriage to Miss Feist's guest. She has reached an advanced age and is a widow."

"It was an old pair of pants that he belonged to my brother-in-law, Simon Lederer. I gave him the pants myself because his own were ragged and he was ashamed to wear them. He wore them despite his assertion that he had a tailor downtown making 16 suits and eight overcoats for him."

His sister and his wife believed all his lies and were used by his claims.

Father Says He Was Snubbed.

Ethel S. Lechinsky said: "My boy's name is Judah Leon Lechinsky. Not 'Count,' just plain Lechinsky. He was born in Russia 20 years ago and I brought him to America when he was 3 years old. His mother gave him the last cent she had when he wanted to go to St. Louis in search of work in 1904. I sent him some money, at his request, while he was in St. Louis. I regretted that I had not sent him more."

Secretary Stevens recalls that Lechinsky attempted to break into World's Fair society, but does not remember who gave him the credentials used.

"I don't know where he got the 'Count' and his wife had a difficulty on a street car shortly after a function at the Missouri building, which they attended, that caused some unpleasantness."

Lechinsky is 20 years old. His features are said to be of a pronounced Mongolian type. He is a plausible talker.

"I shall probably spend \$50,000,000 for supplies while I am in America, but even that is a trifle."

The Count met his wife and infant child at the pier. He had left them behind when he recently made a hurried trip to Europe.

For a long while the "Count" talked grandiloquently over his wealth and position. A typewritten letter in Russian characters was the only proof that he offered to substantiate his claims, and he would not permit this document to be closely inspected.

World's Fair officials remember the figure that Lechinsky attempted to cut in social affairs here during the Exposition. He began his Fair career by serving as a Jefferson Guard, but only held the position a few days. Then, making a display of the title he claimed to possess, he was rebuffed.

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COMPLETE ACCOUNT OF CHAMPIONSHIP BASEBALL GAMES.

Subsequent editions of the Post-Dispatch will have complete, up to the minute of going to press, a detailed account, inning by inning, of the first game between the New York Giants and Philadelphia Athletics for the world's championship, and the Cardinals and Browns for local supremacy.

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SERGEANT, OUT, APPEALS TO FOLK

Police Officer Straughan, Resigned Because of Reprimand for Conduct.

BLAMES KIELY FOR IT

"Congratulate You on Having Me Removed After Five Years' Effort."

After turning in his shield and quitting his \$115 a month position as a sergeant of the St. Louis police force, George Straughan, has submitted his case to Gov. Folk. His brother, Thomas Straughan, went to Jefferson City last night to seek an interview with the chief executive. Sergt. Straughan resigned rather than accept a reprimand on the charge of unbecoming conduct.

"When the people of this great city are fortunate enough to get an American citizen I refuse to submit to the reprimand which was recommended by Chief Kiely," he said.

"I have been harassed in the performance of duty ever since the present chief has been in power."

"Now, Chief Kiely, I congratulate you on having, after five years of continuous effort, succeeded in having my presence removed from your way."

Kiely Silent.

This was the preamble of Sergeant Straughan's reply to President Stewart when he was called by the board to receive the penalty for a charge on which he had been found guilty.

Chief of Police Kiely, who was present, did not reply.

The charge was preferred by Policeman McMahon of the second district, who alleged that he had been cursed and abused by Straughan. The reprimand was recommended by Chief Kiely, it is said. Sergeant Straughan was shown to Sergeant McMahon, who read it and nodded, vouching no comment.

"If I had done anything that merited a reprimand I would assuredly not resent it. But I have been harassed in the performance of duty ever since the present chief has been in power."

"I Am a Citizen."

"Even before he was chief, while he was captain in the Fourth district, during the great street car strike, he attempted to have me removed on the charge of cowardice. That charge had no more foundation than the present."

"I have been stationed in the brewery district and in my attempts to enforce the law against saloons and breweries I have gained the enmity of this powerful element and they have tried to take effect at once. I declare myself an American citizen because it is unjust."

The session of the board Friday was behind closed doors but the account of the proceedings was detailed by one who was present. A copy of the foregoing was shown to Sergeant Straughan, who read it and nodded, vouching no comment.

Sergt. Straughan was appointed a member of the police force in 1894 and in August of the following year he was made a patrolman. In 1898 he was promoted to sergeant.

Some previously he was called before the board on the charge of having been drunk, which caused his resignation. Then the case was dismissed without a hearing.

The sales of the Post-Dispatch in St. Louis each day are greater than the number of St. Louis homes.

RAMSEY DEFEATED PROVES GOULD LINES ARE LAW BREAKERS

Judge Taylor, Refusing Injunction, Holds Deposed Wabash President Not Innocent Stockholder, Because He Voted Wabash Stock Owned by Competing Lines.

RAMSEY'S FRIENDS DO NOT ADMIT DEFEAT

Gould and Ramsey With Their Aides Both in Toledo Ready for Election Tomorrow—Fight for Proxies Goes On, Ramsey Getting All in Pittsburgh.

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Fight for Proxies Goes On, Ramsey Getting All in Pittsburgh.

Judge Daniel G. Taylor, in denying today the application of Joseph Ramsey Jr., deposed president of the Wabash Railroad, for an injunction to prevent Wabash stock belonging to the Missouri Pacific and St. Louis, Iron Mountain & Southern Railroads from being voted in the annual Wabash election at Toledo Tuesday, declared that the hearing was "so replete with evidence of violations of the law that he was loath to reach the conclusion expressed."

Although Judge Taylor did not explain, the railroad officials and lawyers who crowded the courtroom understood the statement to refer to the charge of Attorney Lehmann for Ramsey that the Wabash and Missouri Pacific, competitors between St. Louis and Kansas City, were violating the State laws by their virtual merger.

When told of the decision in Toledo, Ramsey, according to press dispatches, said:

"There is nothing that I can say. The decision seems to speak for itself. Of course, this thing is not in any way decisive. It merely disposes of one trick in the game."

Ramsey's application for an injunction was denied, Judge Taylor said, because a year ago he himself voted Wabash stock owned by the Missouri Pacific and the Iron Mountain for the same men he is now fighting, and is therefore not an "innocent party" as the law requires.

Attorney-General Hadley, when told of the decision by a Post-Dispatch reporter, said:

"I have followed closely the suit for injunction, but the press of other business has prevented me from giving this matter sufficient consideration to make any definite statement as to what action, if any, will be instituted by the State."

MERGER IS NOT NEW.

It appears that this relationship has existed for nearly a decade, but it was only brought to light through the Ramsey suit.

It was shown in court that A. C. Bird is vice-president in charge of traffic of the Missouri Pacific, and in addition holds a similar position with the Wabash.

George Gould is at present chairman of the Wabash Executive Board and is president of the Missouri Pacific. Notwithstanding the adverse decision of Judge Taylor, Ramsey's friends say he will win out in his fight with the Goulds.

JUDGE TAYLOR'S OPINION.

Judge Taylor's opinion follows:

It appears from the plaintiff's verified returns and the verified returns of such of the defendants as have been served and from the evidence that the plaintiff is a minority stockholder of the Wabash Railroad, that the Missouri Pacific is the beneficial owner of 20,000 shares of Wabash stock now registered upon the stockbooks of the Wabash company, in the name of H. M. Walker, an instrument of pledge given to secure certain obligations of the Missouri Pacific held by persons strangers to this suit; that the St. Louis, Iron

PERMANENT WINDOW SEES HUSBAND SHOT IN DUEL

Granite City Men After Telephone Talk Fight in the Street.

ONE DEAD, OTHER UNHURT

Man Who Interfered on Employer's Behalf Wounded in the Leg.

OTHER SUNDAY FRAYS

Two Fatalities in Brawls, One Wife Wounded, Another Causes Fight.

Holding her infant in her arms, Mrs. Lee Braxwell witnessed from a window the revolver duel in which her husband, a saloon keeper, lost his life on the streets of Granite City.

Philip Mernaugh, charged with shooting Braxwell, is in Edwardsville, Ill., guarded against possible attacks by Braxwell's friends, and John Snow, an employee of Braxwell, who came to his aid in the street fight, is in Granite City Hospital with a shattered thigh.

The fatal duel was one of a number of sanguinary encounters Sunday in and around St. Louis.

The fatal fight at Granite City took place after a telephone conversation between the men, it is said.

John Snow, employed by Braxwell, who went to his aid, was shot through the thigh, and the bones were badly shattered. The injury is hardly considered fatal, although grave complications are feared.

Spectacular Tragedy.
The spectacular tragedy occurred at State and Nineteenth streets, in the presence of a few witnesses, most of them churchgoers.

Mernaugh left his two victims lying in the street, after he had emptied his revolver. Ten shots were fired, four by Snow and three each by Mernaugh and Braxwell. Braxwell, mortally wounded, was carried into Tukey's drug store, to which Mrs. Braxwell had hurried. Conscious, but in too much pain to talk, he was taken to Granite City Hospital, where he died.

Mernaugh, now in jail at Edwardsville, will be charged with murder. He was captured six blocks from the scene of the shooting by Fire Warden Sutton, who leveled a double-barreled shotgun at his head and forced him to stop and surrender.

That Mernaugh called Braxwell by telephone is a story related at the tragedy scene.

Churchgoers Witnesses.

Persons on their way to church and others in the street saw Braxwell and Mernaugh approach the intersection of State and Nineteenth streets. A few minutes later patrol reports were heard in rapid succession.

Witnesses say Braxwell did not fire until after he had been shot and had fallen. Then he turned over, took a pistol from a hip pocket, and fired three times. None of his shots and none of the four fired by Snow hit the other.

With his left arm in a sling, Braxwell used his right, in the duel, and as he was left-handed, he was badly handicapped. His left hand had been severely injured in a fight with Mernaugh Saturday night, which led up to the duel.

In jail Mernaugh said that Braxwell shot first. His face was badly cut and one eye was greatly discolored as the result of a fight with another man in the latter's saloon late Saturday night. He charges that he was at that time beaten with knives.

At an inquest held Sunday night by Coroner J. N. Streper of Madison County a jury returned a verdict holding Mernaugh responsible for Braxwell's death. It is believed that he will waive preliminary hearing.

Stabbing on Ferry.
John Andie of 629 Geyer avenue is a prisoner at Four Courts charged with the fatal stabbing of Michael Kane, aged 32, of 2615 Bismarck street, on the Sidney street ferry Sunday night, following a quarrel over a quarter.

The two men had been on the East Side and were on the ferry. Kane claims he felt a hand in his pocket. He alleges that he saw Kane withdraw his hand from his pocket, after which he says, he missed 25 cents. The matter was passed off as a joke until the boat landed and the men met on the East Side.

They clinched and before the other passengers could interfere Andie plunged a knife into Kane's left side. Kane died en route to the City Hospital.

Stabbed by Friend.
Edward Weltkamp, aged 34, of 300 West avenue, is in a serious condition from a stab wound in his lung, inflicted by Robert Riesner, aged 27, of 3837 West avenue. Weltkamp, according to the police, says Riesner attacked him. Riesner's story of the stabbing makes it accidental.

Riesner is a prisoner at Angelica Street Police Station.

Mrs. Katie Coninsky, aged 39, of 327 Chambers street, in City Hospital with a serious bullet wound inflicted by her husband, now held at North Market Street Station.

The couple quarreled over a supper. The wife says her husband shot her deliberately, but he says it was in a struggle.

The woman's injury is said to be serious, the bullet striking her in the abdomen.

George McNamara, a bricklayer of 225 Wash street, seriously injured James Rubez, by his wife, and Mrs. Grissman, friend of Rubez.

Rubez is at City Hospital. He attended a dance at McQuinn's Hall, on 12th and Wash streets, and while it was in progress Mrs. McNamara, who lives on the floor above the hall, came down and they were enjoying a walk together when the husband appeared and they quarreled. The quarrel was renewed later and Rubez was stabbed.

Gritman says that he heard of his friend's fight and went upstairs. McNamara attacked him with a knife, he says, while Mrs. McNamara tried to chase him away with a club. His injuries include cuts on the face, neck and head, not so serious as Rubez's. McNamara was arrested and is held at the Carr Street station.

"PLEASE, MR. STORK!"



In the list of large American cities St. Louis has next to the lowest birth rate. New York has the highest.

RAMSEY LOSES COURT FIGHT OVER WABASH

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Wabash as to not only violate the provisions of the laws of Missouri which prohibit combination or association between competing railroads, but also to injure him.

Ramsey Criticized.
I am of the view that this action of plaintiff is sufficient to compel the Court to deny him the relief which he seeks in the absence of proof showing that something has transpired since the time of such voting of this stock by him, which would indicate that the purposes of those who will be elected by the voting of this stock at the meeting Oct. 10, will be different from those of the persons elected by the plaintiff.

It is presented to the Court on behalf of the plaintiff that when he voted the stock for George J. Gould and his associates, who were then and are now in control of the Missouri Pacific, he did not know of their unlawful purpose to unify and amalgamate the Wabash and other Gould properties, but that since that time he has been made aware of their unlawful purposes.

No Change in Gould.

An examination of the record fails to show evidence of any change in the purpose of Gould or his associates during the past year. If any such evidence exists it must be in plaintiff's possession and he has offered none. If the court is to conclude that Gould and his associate will, if elected directors of the Wabash Railroad Co. through the voting of the stock and bonds which plaintiff seeks to enjoin, act illegally and to the injury of the plaintiff, it must do so solely upon the hypothesis that being in control of the Missouri Pacific and the Iron Mountain, they will, if they are put in control of the Wabash, operate it in combination with these other properties.

Ramsey Not Injured.
There is no evidence in this case that any other course will be pursued towards the interests of the Wabash stockholders in the future, that which has been pursued under the plaintiff's direction, and if that course was unlawful and injurious to plaintiff he cannot now be heard to complain, for he is not in the position of a suitor for equitable relief, who comes into court innocent and injured.

The order will therefore be that the rule heretofore made upon the defendants to show cause why a preliminary injunction should not issue will be vacated and plaintiff's application for a temporary injunction denied.

Ramsey and his aides are also in Toledo.

The election of president is not expected to take place in Toledo Tuesday, but the result of the Gould-Ramsey fight will be clearly indicated by the choice of the 13 directors, who will attend a meeting at the present convenience. Most of the present directors are Gould partisans, there having been no vote but that of Ramsey against his deposition at a meeting of eight directors last Thursday.

Pittsburg for Ramsey.
Dispatches from Pittsburg to the Post-Dispatch say the contest for the presidency has been very active, although not more than \$200,000 of Wabash stock and bonds is held in Pittsburg. Ramsey,

working through a brokerage firm, is said to have had the best of the contest for proxies.

One holder of Wabash stock in Pittsburg, Kirk Q. Bingham, who was in the Council when the Wabash made its long fight to obtain entrance to Pittsburg, says he has not given his proxies to any one and is taking no sides.

Proxies Closely Guarded.
Winslow S. Pierce, Gould's chief attorney, declined to express any opinion as to the outcome. Mr. Pierce is custodian of a big black box containing the Gould proxies, which is most zealously guarded. He is a director in the Wabash.

The departure of Gould for the West did not terminate the search for proxies in New York. The search will be continued until the latest possible moment, when a trusted employee will be dispatched from Gould's office for Toledo with the documents. This fact is taken to demonstrate clearly that the Gould faction knows that the fight is going to be very close.

RAIN AND COOLER, THE PREDICTION

Forecaster Says Balmey Weather Is Near Finish.



There is to be a great deal of activity in the way of weather for a day or so at least. After using carbon copies of his fair weather prediction until it had almost become a confirmed habit, the Weather Bureau's forecaster has found this surprise to spring: "Rain tonight and Tuesday. Much colder. Southerly winds shifting back to northerly tonight."

GIRL, BURNED, SAVES BROTHER

Essa Russell, Sixteen Years Old, Rescues Infant From Flames.

Essa Russell, 16-year-old daughter of Daniel J. Russell of 7091 Vermont avenue, rescued her baby brother Monday afternoon from their burning home after she had been badly burned by the explosion of a gasoline stove.

The girl had been left by her parents to take care of the baby, David, 8 months old, while they went downtown. After putting the child to sleep and leaving him on the bed, Essa went into the kitchen to prepare dinner. The moment she touched a match to the gasoline stove, there was an explosion, and blazing gasoline was thrown about the room.

Although her eyelashes and eyelids were burned off and she was suffering great pain, Essa's first thought was of the baby in the adjoining room. She rushed to the room, caught up the child, carried him out and handed him to a neighbor. She then ran to the nearest fire alarm box and turned in an alarm.

A moment later she was back at the burning house, carrying out furniture. She was assisted in this by Policeman Bridwell, and they saved the greater part of the household goods.

FLED ON CAR FROM HUSBAND

Mrs. Lottie Whitsett, Bruised and Bleeding, Surprised Car Conductor.

With her face bruised and cut and her eyes blackened, Mrs. Lottie Whitsett, aged 26, of 2123 Market street, waits at Four Courts for the decision of a court regarding her charges against her husband, William Whitsett, a butcher, from whom, she says, she escaped by swinging aboard a rapidly moving street car.

Whitsett's case is in City Hall Police Court, where the wife must stand trial on cross charges of disturbing the peace.

To a Post-Dispatch reporter Mrs. Whitsett told a remarkable story of brutality.

"With my little niece I returned to our home, over 2123 Market street, from a visit to a merry-go-round about 7 p. m. My husband and a man called 'Chas. ley' were there, both drunk. He asked me if I intended to fry the fish that were on the table.

"I told him I would, but he did not seem to like my answer.

"He threw the lamp at me, but it missed me. Then he jumped up and

DIVORCE SUIT TO FOLLOW COMPACT

Wife Who Signed Agreement to Live Apart Denies Using Megaphone.

Mrs. Georgina Tabler of 3101 North Leonard avenue, who has filed with the Recorder of Deeds an agreement to live apart from her husband, Frank C. Tabler, chief inspector of the Kinloch Telephone Co., denies that she ever used a megaphone, phonograph horn or other sound multiplier to upbraid him for leaving her.

For the sake of her daughter, Marie, aged 20, Mrs. Tabler says, she based the separation on her husband's refusal to let her advertise for their son Clay, aged 15, who ran away from home May 27. This was not the chief reason, she now says.

Mrs. Tabler says her husband left her and lived at 2224 Olive street. There she went one evening, talked with her husband and left him.

"I said scarcely a dozen words to him," said Mrs. Tabler, "and I talked in a low tone. I told him he must support me and the children. I used no megaphone and have never had one in my hand on the street.

"I will soon bring suit for divorce. I have some pictures which will be offered as evidence."

Whitsett refused to talk.

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Tailored Suits for Women

A distinctive and pleasing showing of the newest fashions, in cut and material. Large shipments arriving daily.

The new 50-inch Tight-Fitting Coat Suit, in stripe suitings; velvet collar and cuffs; coat lined to waist with satin; skirt pleated; at \$20.00

Long and fitted Suits; semi-fitted lined with satin; pleated skirt; gray mixtures and brown chevrons; sizes 32 and 34; price \$21.50

Double-Breasted and Fly-Front Reffer Suits, in chevrons and coverts, trimmed with strap and braid; taffeta lined; pleated skirt; at \$23.50

Long Coat Suits; tailor-finished; half-fitted back, lined with satin; side-pleated skirt; blue and green invisible plaids; sizes 32 and 34; price \$25.00

Fitted Coat Suits of herringbone cheviots; strictly tailored; kilt skirt; in black, blue and brown; \$28.50

Half-Fitted Long Coat Suits with deep shawl collar reverse, trimmed with velvet and fancy braid; new circular skirt; black and red and green and black checked chevrons; sizes 32 and 34; \$30.00

The New Double-Breasted Eton Suits; made of chevrons; coat trimmed with fancy silk braid; deep girde; new style skirt; colors: black and navy; \$37.50

Fancy Blouse Serge Suits; new shirted sleeves; silk and Persian braid; coat silk lined; skirt made box-pleated effect; brown and black; price \$42.50

50-inch Coat Suits; single and double breasted models; in gray tweeds and suitings; coat taffeta lined; side-pleated skirt; from \$30.00 \$47.50

Short Blouse Broadcloth Tailored Suits; velvet girde; coat taffeta lined; skirt double box-pleated style; black and brown; price \$50.00

Eton Blouse and Semi-Fitted Suits of velvet and corduroy; from \$62.50 \$95.00

Complete line of Walking Skirts of smooth cloths, Panamas, chevrons, volles, fancy tweeds and suitings; Quaker gray, navy, black and brown; from \$7.50 to \$32.50

Evening and Reception Gowns

Many new models shown tomorrow. Adaptations of the latest Paris fashions. The materials are Laces, Nets, Crepe de Chine, Velvets and Silks, in all the new shades.

Prices from \$50 to \$150

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\$50 and \$60 Wraps, reduced to \$25.00	\$95 and \$100 Wraps, reduced to \$40.00
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Auto-Coaching Coats

Loose and half-fitted backs, full sleeves, velvet collar and cuffs to match. Fancy Tweeds, Scotch Plaids, Broken Checks. New colors.

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Broadcloth and Camel's Hair Coats

¾-length—loose and half-fitted back, handsomely trimmed with Soutache and fancy silk braids—soft silk lining; all sizes.

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New Waists—by Hundreds

One prevailing idea—lingerie—developed in soft cottons, soft wool and soft silk.

Of course there's the practical tailored waist also—

Blouses of Allover Valenciennes and lace and net; trimmed with lace; at \$14.50, \$20.00 and \$35.00, up to \$60.00.

Peau de Cygne Waists, at \$12.75, \$15.00, \$20.00 and \$30.00.

White Nun's Veiling Waists, trimmed with embroidery and lace; at \$5.50, \$7.50, \$8.00, \$8.50, \$12.00 and \$12.75.

French hand-embroidered and hand-made Waists at \$7.50, \$9.50, \$10.00, \$15.00, up to \$65.00.

Silk Moreen Petticoats

Black Silk Moreen with extra full flounce of three section \$2.50

Excellent grade of Silk Moreen, deep flounce with extra five section circular ruffle, giving an especially wide flare, at \$4.00

Taffeta Silk Petticoats

Black Taffeta Silk, with underlay; full three section circular flounce with tucks and shirring, at \$3.95

Black and the leading colors, superior quality Taffeta, with silk underlay, full flounce of two shirred and tucked ruffles; wide flare, at \$6.00

Novelty Buttons for Trimming

Emphatically a button season—novelties by the score.

Hand-painted Miniatures, cut steel, gold filigree with Rhinestone settings; enameled and metal; jeweled in Turquoise, Coral, Amethyst, Emerald, etc.; Pearl with floral tracery; silk and crochet; in fact, a most comprehensive exhibit of the correct American and Foreign Button Fashions.

Neckwear for Women

An importation of Tailor-Made Silk Stocks in all the new Autumn shades—50c to \$3.00

New lot of lace Jabots—evening shades—entirely new ideas—75c to \$5.00

Large Importation of Lace Collars, with high cuffs and sleeves to match—Per Set, \$2.50 to \$15.00

Renaissance Lace Collars from 25c to \$10.50.

Real Lace Berthas, in Duchess and Point, from \$9.50 to each, \$40.00.

Feather Boas and Muffs—Cocque Marabout and Marabout and Ostrich; \$12.50 to \$90.50.

Chiffon, Voile, Radium and Liberty Silk Scarfs for auto, neck or headwear; printed, plain and with satin borders; \$2.50 to 15.00.

Vanity Fair Matinee Bag

Just received a large importation—quite the latest thing for Horse Show or Theater—containing small fan and opera glasses, smelling salts, mirror, puff, etc.; all colors.

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Mauchauffee's Natural Wool, unshrinkable; very desirable; a garment, \$1.00; a suit, \$2.00.

St. Louis agents for the Kneipp Linen Mesh Underwear; absolutely all linen; medium and heavy weight; bleached and unbleached; a garment, \$3.00 and \$3.25.

Medium-Weight Merino, in natural gray; drawers extra reinforced; special at, a garment, \$1.00; a suit, \$2.00.

St. Louis agents for the celebrated Dermophile Underwear; all wool, guaranteed not to shrink; white and natural; 3 weights; a garment, \$2.00 to \$4.00.

Indoor Garments for Men

Now ready. The season's novelties in Smoking Jackets, House Coats, Blanket and Terry Robes and Gowns.

House Coats upwards from \$5.00

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A beautiful assortment of English-made Umbrellas for men. Fox's paragon frame with great variety of fancy handles—Cape Horn; Parmentia, silver trimmed; Ivory, gold and silver trimmed; Tortoise Shell.

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WHITES SERMON AS SUNDAY DAWNS

New First Congregational Pastor Arises at 2 A. M. on Sabbaths.

Rev. Thomas B. McLeod, D. D., formerly of New York, began his pastorate at First Congregational Church Sunday by telling the members of his large audience that they need not expect sensational preaching, only the truths of the gospel. He said: "I would rather make shoes, I would rather drive a mule on the highway, I would rather be a mule than a sensational preacher."

In reference to the freedom he claims as pastor, Dr. McLeod said: "If I thought I was to be gagged as to what I should say in the pulpit, I would take the next train East."

He declared that men were as prone to sin as ever, and asked: "Do you want me to talk about sin like a fooling turtle dove, instead of a trumpet?"

Dr. McLeod was compared by many of his hearers to Henry Ward Beecher. He has much of the force of the great Brooklyn preacher. His personal appearance is that of a scholar and recluse, who comes out of his retirement with a deep spiritual message.

Dr. McLeod does not write his sermons. He rises at 2 o'clock Sunday morning and determines between then and church time what he will say.

He was formerly pastor of a large church in New York, from which he resigned because he wanted a rest. He went to Washington, intending to "loaf" but at the end of three months was restless. He accepted a call to St. Louis for temporary service, and remained until last spring, when he went away for his vacation. His present pastorate is for one year.

Pure food laws are good. Burnett's Vanilla is pure food. Take no substitute.

REPUBLICAN CLUBS MEETING. The date and place of the 1906 meeting of the national convention of Republican clubs will be decided Tuesday morning at a meeting of the executive committee of the National League, to be held at the Planters' Hotel, Pennsylvania and Missouri are the only States that have asked for the convention this far.

Softshell Crabs and Lobsters. Milford's restaurant, 207 and 209 N. Sixth street.

FEVER ON INCREASE AT PENSACOLA, FLA. PENSACOLA, Fla., Oct. 9.—Nineteen new cases of yellow fever are reported here for the last 24 hours. This is a heavy increase over any day since the "Jack" made its appearance here.

JEW OBSERVED YOM KIPPUR

No Work Done Monday Around Ninth and Wash Streets Neighborhood.

The celebration of the feast of Yom Kippur or Day of Atonement in all the orthodox Jewish synagogues reached its climax Monday. The observance of the day involves the abstinence from food and work for 24 hours, beginning at 6 p. m. Sunday and ending at 6 p. m. Monday, and the attendance on services in the synagogues during this time. The most interesting and elaborate celebration of the day took place in the Sharris Synagogue at Fifteenth and Wash streets. Here Rabbi B. Liberman was assisted by 24 young men, recently admitted to the ministry. In this number were three sons of the rabbi. So large was the attendance at this synagogue that special tickets of admission had to be issued to insure seats for the regular members of the congregation.

At the Temple Tifereth Israel, at Ninth and Wash streets, services were conducted by Rabbi Simon Rosenberg and at B'nai Amoona, Thirteenth and Carr streets, by Rabbi Freedman. In the district of the city around Ninth and Wash streets no business was transacted during the day. The stores were closed and holiday attire and devout demeanor were the rule. The Jefferson school at Ninth and Wash streets, the attendance of which is mostly made up of orthodox Jews, was so sparsely attended that class work was suspended during the afternoon. In all the other schools Jewish pupils were excused for the day without question.

REQUEST PASTOR TO STEP OUT

Meeting of St. Stanislaus Parishioners Take Action at Meeting.

Rev. Fr. Urban Stanowski, pastor of St. Stanislaus Church, Twentieth and O'Fallon streets, will be waited upon by a committee Monday and asked to resign his pastorate before the end of this week. The committee represents a faction of the church which met in the school building Sunday and unanimously decided that Father Stanowski must go. The meeting was held under the direction of a parish committee.

John Kaszowski, a member of the committee, said: "If the pastor does not resign within a week steps will be taken to compel him to do so. We do not propose to permit one man to cause the withdrawal of almost the entire congregation of the church."

The only person who can remove me from the pastorate of my church is the archbishop," said Father Stanowski. "I have no intention of resigning."

Father Stanowski says that the best people in the parish are with him in the fight and he expects the trouble to end in a few days. He calls the parish committee an unlawful body, which does not represent the congregation, but a faction of it.

AMERICAN RESTAURANT, Sixth and Olive, now open. Popular prices.

NO TRACE OF MURDER. Falling to find any trace of a murder said to have been committed in a box car between Springfield, Mo., and this city, the police released John Brown. Brown made the statement Saturday that he heard such a crime had been committed, a companion being the victim, and he was held pending an investigation.

HONOR ROOSEVELT AT BIRTHPLACE

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—On the forty-seventh anniversary of President Roosevelt's birth, Oct. 27, in the room in which he was born, at 25 East Twentieth street, near Broadway, a banquet will be given in his honor.

The President has been invited, and several men of national prominence will be present.

Owing to limited space, only 100 guests can be seated.

A club has been formed to preserve the house in which he was born as a place of historical interest. The club numbers about 20 members. It was organized on Oct. 12, 1904, by 25 admirers of the President.

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Men's \$22.50 Overcoats—Sale Price... \$15.00
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In both single and double breasted styles.
Youths' \$7.50 Suits—Sale Price... \$5.00
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Plain long-out coats, belted coats, Russian style coats and Buster Brown overcoats, ages 2½ to 16 years.
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Regular \$5.00 Overcoats—Sale Price... \$3.50
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Supt. W. D. Vandiver of the Missouri Insurance Department points out that the law gives him ample authority to exclude those companies from the State whose methods indicate a disregard of the rights of policy holders.

All the states have laws on the subject and commissioners are invested with ample authority. The action, whatever it may be, of New York State, is, therefore, not decisive to other states, which can protect themselves. And it appears, happily, that they are already taking steps to safeguard the interests of resident policy holders.

The commissioner in Missouri has power to revoke the license of an offending company; or he may suspend its operations in the State pending an investigation; or he may demand a change of management and a restitution of money wrongfully taken from the trust fund, applying the first or second remedy if his demands are not complied with.

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With a marine recruiting office and a naval recruiting office in the dome of the Federal Building, and an army recruiting office in the old postoffice building, St. Louis will have no difficulty in doing her share toward saving the country.

OTHELLO AND A POODLE.

"Love me, love my dog," is obviously the motto of Mrs. Margaret R. Silverstein of St. Louis, its injunction applying with especial force to her husband. She has just asked the Circuit Court for a decree of divorce because Mr. Silverstein clubbed her pet poodle to death.

At first sight it may seem to many that a wife is justified in seeking separation from a consort of this temper, because the descent of Avernum is easy and it may be but one or two swift downward steps from dog beating to wife beating. But when one reads in Mrs. Silverstein's petition that Mr. Silverstein's hatred of the dog was due to her love for it, why, that alters the complexion of the case materially.

Plainly, the dog-killing act was due to jealousy, and jealousy is due to love, wherefore the logic of the situation is all against the wife. Mr. Silverstein should reconsider her action. She is asking release from a husband so devoted to her that he cannot bear to share her affections even with a poodle—and loving husbands are not as plentiful as blackberries, that they may be treated so cavalierly.

With their guinea quail and guinea prairie chicken, hotels and restaurant do not exactly make ducks and drakes of the game law.

NO FEMALE ANGEL NEED APPLY.

Feminine angels have been excluded from the Cathedral of St. John the Divine in New York on the ground that angels of the gentle gender are not found in heaven.

The trouble was caused by some delegates to the recent diocesan convention. They visited the new cathedral and were shocked to see some angels unmistakably feminine, and deeply offended because the features of Michael, Raphael and Gabriel were softened into feminine gentleness.

"Tell us," said the reverend delegates to the sculptor, "who ever said that angels were feminine?" The sculptor confessed he had not searched the Scriptures to find out, but opined that if feminine angels were not in heaven that place of abode would be made much more heavenly if they were admitted.

He was overruled, however, and must remodel the faces of 40 angels to make them more manlike.

Now what does Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt think of this? And what will Phoebe Cousins say? And what will be the emotions of Miss Anthony, that angel on earth, when she hears that she can't be an angel in heaven?

Greek sculpture shows very clearly that Pheidias and his fellow statuary had great respect for the

eternal feminine; statues of Apollo, in particular, have gentle, woman-like faces. If the reverend critics will search the writings of Winkelman and Lessing they may find something about this. Will they honor women less than the heathen did?

Heaven without a woman—think of it. There is nothing feminine about that joke. It comes directly from the Cathedral of St. John the Divine.

KEEP UP THE LOCAL FIGHT.

The history of the St. Louis bridge and terminal monopoly and of the efforts to destroy it, which was published in the Sunday Post-Dispatch, was most interesting. It was the story of a continuous fight waged against a continually growing monopoly. Unlike the Northern Securities merger and most of the great trusts which occupy the industrial field, the bridge and terminal combine was of slow growth. The desire of the owners of the Eads Bridge to protect their tolls resulted in assimilation from time to time of the bridge, ferry and terminal properties which threatened them, until the present great terminal combine, owned by the railroads, was built up. It is interesting to note that from the beginning a fight was waged upon the combine, without success. The first evidence of monopoly marks the first assault of the Post-Dispatch, which has led a fight continuously since upon every development of the combine. Through the exposure of the oppressive grasp of the Eads Bridge and terminals upon St. Louis commerce the Merchants' Bridge and Terminal Co. was created and richly endowed by the city, only to be sold out to the monopoly. From that time to this the fight has not ceased. Under the incitement of the Post-Dispatch's exposures of oppressive wrongs the Attorney-General of Illinois and the Attorney-General of Missouri have successively attacked the combine. The case before the Secretary of War is recent history. Every effort of this newspaper and of the citizens supporting it have failed to break the combine. The history of their efforts exhibits the power of aggregated interests commanding large capital.

The action of President Roosevelt in ordering Attorney-General Moody to take action against the combine is the most hopeful of all the efforts to protect the people of St. Louis. It brings into the fight the Federal law and the great power of the Government. But while this action is full of promise, the people of St. Louis should not cease their own efforts. The movement for a free bridge and for kindred measures of relief should be pressed with vigor. The history of the fight points to the wisdom of attacking the monopoly at every point and of fortifying the city against the possibility of tollgate oppression.

The Oklahoma whisky made from watermelons, pumpkins and tomatoes intoxicates quickly. What we must beware of at all times is liquid vegetarianism.

"LIVE INTENSELY."

Commenting on President Eliot's maxim addressed to the Harvard freshmen: "It is a good rule to live intensely," the Springfield (Mass.) Republican says: "He introduces a disputable proposition of life and conduct. Intensity is American, but it may have its defects when seen through the perspective of the ages. Nature never hurries."

It depends upon the meaning attached to the word. Strenuousness is open to the Republican's censure. It is motion, motion, always motion, and leaves no place for rest and meditation. It is often aimless, generally thoughtless and always exhausting. It lacks balance, poise, and is not informed with the calm consciousness of power without which action is little better than reckless kicking.

Probably President Eliot had another thought in mind—the intensity of absorbed attention. This is laborious, loving, fruitful. Not only is the result prized, but the process of work itself. Gibbon toiled 20 years on his great history. They were years of the greatest intensity. The hypothesis of natural selection absorbed Darwin 30 years before he gave it to the world. Moltke meditated 40 years, worked, thought, planned—in silence. He was never strenuous, never in a hurry; but he was always intense. The modern German empire was the result.

Intensity of this sort is needed, now more than ever. Calmness, quiet, peaceful thinking, lawful doing—these cannot be too intense.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

THE WOMAN'S SIDE.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
On your issue of today, you report Circuit Attorney Sage as saying, with reference to the Morton case, that "there is no charge that Mr. Morton has committed any offense against the law."

In view of Mr. Sage's statement, (Mr. Morton) told me that he took her around to hotels in Atlantic City, San Francisco and other places, and registered and introduced her as his wife, just to keep her from doing what she finally did—exposing him and putting his position in jeopardy. And of late, the statement of Mrs. Sprague, appearing in your paper several days ago, to the effect that Mr. Morton had spent much time with her at her flat in this city, it occurs to a mind trained in the law that there is ground for at least an investigation on the part of the Circuit Attorney whether there has been a violation by Mr. Morton of Section 2175 of the Revised Statutes of 1890 of Missouri, under the construction placed thereon by the St. Louis Court of Appeals in the case of State vs. Berry, 24 Mo. App. 466.

A LAWYER.

QUESTION BEFORE THE HOUSE.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
A certain young lady in speaking to a gentleman made some remarks regarding loving her brother. The gentleman ridiculed the expression, claiming there is no such thing; that there is love of a mother for her child, love of a husband for his wife, but that respect, brother and sister there is not love, but that respect. The writer disagrees with the gentleman, so we would like to have the views of others on the subject.

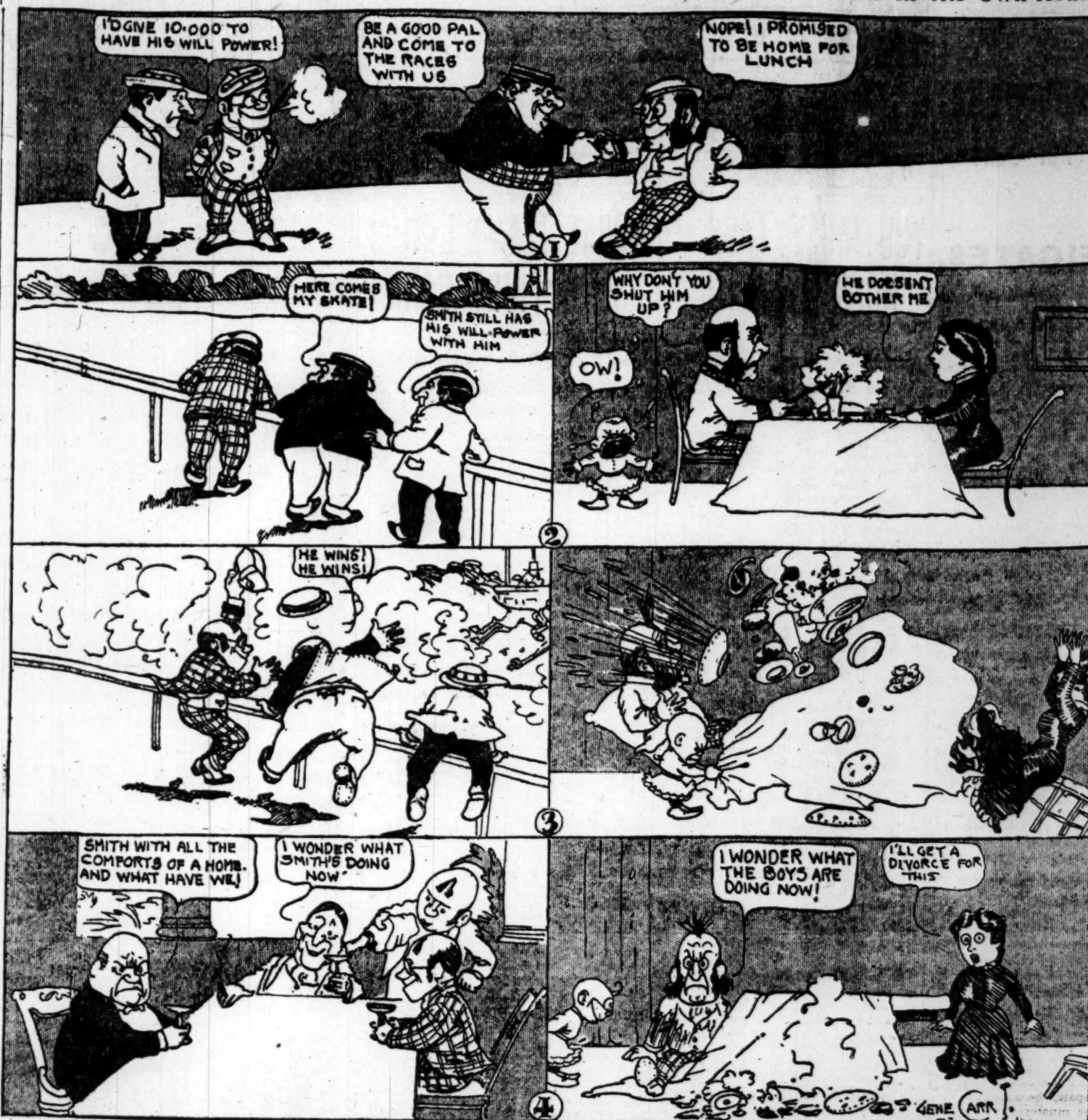
A BOY'S PLAN.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
Having read an article in the "Fourth Estate" regarding an idea to advancing your city, I think I can help the prominent and business men get together and form a "Boost Club." Let these men subscribe, with help of Congressmen, and have small books printed stating the opportunities of your city. Of this club elect officers who will have charge to get large factories to your city, as these factories bring men and their families with them. Have these people be the most anxious ones to get to a large city, where they can get employment. Also have ads on billboards in these cities. Thinking this is a very good plan, I will close now.

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Smith Leaves Race-Track Fun to the "Boys." He Can Get More Real Thrills In His Own House.



JUST A MINUTE

BRAVE GIRL.

A Chicago girl has married a Greek named Speronagrotis Poppatheodakoumoutourgopoulos.

Though not inclined over things this is

To make a more than common fuss,

Since you have been brought to our

notice.

You've made an instant hit with us,

And we can't help but wish you blisses—

You've earned them—yes, and countless

kisses.

For your vast bravery, O Mrs.

(Help if we struggle!) Speronagrotis Poppatheodakoumoutourgopoulos!

Another literary mystery.

A literary discussion more profound than that attending the authorship of the Letters of Junius, the Waverley Novels or the plays of Shakespeare is likely to be precipitated by the famous little stanza:

The falling leaves are falling;

They are falling everywhere.

They are falling through the atmosphere.

And also through the air.

In her "Anthology of Nonsense" Carolyn Wells credits Eugene Field with the authorship of this celebrated bit of verse, this literary morass, this rhythmic gem, whereas, in a recent number of Judge, of which he is editor, Mr. Robert D. Towne—"Perkin Warbeck," the man who demoralized the whole country a couple of years ago by his maddening query, "How Old is Ann?"—quotes it as being from the life and works of "that great poet, Bill Nye."

Those who have read the poetical works of Mr. Nye will hardly deny that they are great, and will be inclined to commend Mr. Towne for his appreciation of them, and admire him for quoting from them; but is Mr. Towne, himself a noted manufacturer of and dealer in nonsense, both wholesale and retail, in a position to back his statement against that of the cautious Carolyn, who is none the less celebrated as a dispenser of that all-but intangible literary commodity?

Can either produce proof that this famous stanza was written by either Bill Nye or Eugene Field? If not, may it be presuming too much to believe that either Miss Wells or Mr. Towne wrote it, and that they are too modest to acknowledge the authorship, lest, having done good by stealth, they should blush to find it fame?

MAYBE IT IS.

Perhaps it is some consolation

To men 'way down the line,

At crossing, switch or wayside station,

Each waiting a chance to shine.

And in New York take residence

And live in gorgeous style.

That even railroad presidents

Get fired once in a while.

Old Gen. Gomez will have his little

joke. He asks Uncle Sam to interfere

to secure fair elections in Cuba, when

it is more than Uncle Sam can do to

secure fair elections at home.

"As to the near East the grand Turk

IF I WERE MR. RAMSEY.

By W. L. Clannahan.

If I were Mr. Ramsey

And you were Mr. Gould,

Each stubborn, each a fighter,

In railroad tactics schooled,

Would you give me a laming,

My power by proxies damping,

And think by shams and shamming

I could be tripped and fooled,

If I were Mr. Ramsey

And you were Mr. Gould:

If I were Mr. Ramsey

And you were Mr. Gould,

Would we believe the public

Could always thus be fooled?

Or would we take a tumble

That they our pride might humble,

And that our plans might crumble

Before their ardent cooled,

If I were Mr. Ramsey

And you were Mr. Gould?

NEW YORK EDITORIAL OPINION

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—The World is

greatly pleased with the nomination of

Insurance Inquisitor Hughes for Mayor

to combat Tammany. It says:

"If the public misfortune of a failure

of election must be borne, the Repub-

licans could hardly have done more

than they have done to repair the loss

and to furnish the citizens with a re-

spectable opposition to Murphy and

Murphyism.

"Yet so important is that investiga-

tion to the people of the State and na-

tion, so important even in the interna-

tional relations of the American people

with the rest of the world, that Mr.

Hughes should make it, so long as it

lasts, his first thought and his first

duty. If acceptance of the nomination

were to mean making the investigation

take for a single day place subordinate

to the exigencies of a political campaign

that result would be most unfortunate.

"The Republicans face an uphill fight,

but the fight should be made to the

recall how generations of kings, kaisers and czars—aye, even the mighty Corsican—have plotted for his dominions and serenely flitted his pipe with the latest ultimatum."

The Sun continues its campaign for a Government train for use of the President, today saying:

"In the matter of his travels it cannot be humiliating to him, and ought to be to the United States, that he must approach railroad companies in

forma pauperis and billet himself upon them. He and they are forced to a

valuation of the interstate commerce law, which appears to be the chief palladium and only genuine agent of lib-

erty in these days. The President of the United States should travel at the

expense of the United States and not that of the railroads."

"If Senator Foraker of Ohio chooses to go to Philadelphia to speak in the

current campaign for the benefit of his friend, Penrose, he has a perfect right to do so, but it will be a discreditable

thing to do, it will not help the un-

speaking machine, and it will hurt Senator Foraker."—The Times.

"The evidence brought out by the

legislative insurance committee—and it is clear that only the surface of the

pool of dishonesty and corruption has been dragged thus far—has aroused

public indignation unmatched since the days of the Tweed ring disclosures," re-

marks the Herald.

"Every rascal who has been indicated,

but not named, by Mr. McCall, president of the New York Life, as a bribe

seeker should be hunted down and given his full share of the law. Bribe taker and bribe

giver should alike be caught and con-

demned."—The Herald.

"As to the near East the grand Turk

CURE FOR INSANITY

FRENCH periodicals are giving considerable space to some recent experiments in the treatment of insanity by the hypodermic injection of sea water.

As described by Dr. Caze in La Revue, the injections are given every five days in increased doses, commencing with 30 cubic centimeters and ending with 100. Twelve patients were submitted by Dr. Marie to the treatment—three epileptics, three general paralytics and six maniacs.

All of the patients were then methodically observed, the state of every function being registered; respiration, circulation, temperature, and so on, before, during and after treatment, as well as the chemical characteristics and eliminations.

As a whole, says Public Opinion, the condition of the patients showed marked improvement, there was an increase of weight and improved physical condition. The method, as Dr. Caze says, is yet in its infancy, but the results so far are highly encouraging.

The theory on which Dr. Marie and Pelletier have been proceeding, according to M. de Parville, in the Journal des Debats, accounts for the success of the method on the rather fanciful and inconsequential ground that "man by descent is a marine animal, as is every other animal."

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By bathing the cells in their original medium they believe it is possible to rid them of the toxins which clog them; but this is on condition that the cells have merely been altered and not destroyed.

The injections quickly result in producing recuperation of the digestive powers.

In the case of melancholy persons the appetite returns and the digestive functions improve, the same being true for paralytics. At the same time there is amelioration along other lines.

PASSING REMARKS

NOW that 40 years can be made in a minute, the Anti-Adulterated Plebeians will have to get busy.

WITH 28 Michigan breweries uniting their capital, schemers may disappear from the Michigan lakes.

THAT the liola triste, a Mexican bird, has been flying this way,

may be a happy omen of increased trade between St. Louis and the great Mexican Republic.

SOME fishermen were greatly frightened when "a white-hot meteor"

dropped into the water at Atlantic City. They may have suddenly remembered all the fish stories they had ever told.

THE SHATTERED IDOL

By Nixola Greeley-Smith

Dear Miss Greeley-Smith:

A M IN great distress and would much appreciate your advice. Last year I married a widower 40 years old. I was a young widow, having one little girl 10 years old, and was earning \$9 a week. I had nearly \$400 in bank. My husband asked me to let him have the money for business. He used it, but afterward put it in bank in his own name. Then he left home and began going with fast company. He told me he would not live with me any more, that his heart had died with his first wife. Dear madame, do you think he may change and see himself in his true colors? At times when I hear music I feel I must kill myself, but oh! my little girl, the thought of her keeps me from it. M. W.



NIXOLA GREELEY-SMITH

IF THE writer of this letter had had her hand ground under a cart wheel and grim fate in the shape of an utterly impersonal doctor were to tell her that the shattered member must be amputated, she would believe him and submit to the inevitable. But because it is one of the less tangible wings of her soul that has been crushed I despair of convincing her that amputation, in this case, equally the only mercy that can save her.

I do not think there is the faintest hope of reclaiming the complete brute whom she had the supreme misfortune to marry. For he is 40 years old. And at 40 a man's habits and character are fixed with the rigidity of a locked jaw or a woman's opinions.

The only thing to do with this man, M. W., is to put him utterly out of your life. I know that he will stay in your thoughts a long time. But nothing in this world is final. Unhappiness is as fleeting as joy.

If there were in your rooms a pedestal with a beautiful statue upon it and it were to be shivered into a thousand fragments, you would not sit day after day and gaze at the empty pedestal and weep, would you?

No matter if it were the most treasured of your household gods, you would get bravely down on your hands and knees and sweep the fragments into a dust pan and throw them out of your house and heart.

And you would put something else on the pedestal.

It might not be so pretty; you might not love it so much; but still it would be better than vacancy.

Now, in dealing with the idols of our souls and hearts we learn to be equally matter of fact, if we are wise.

So long as we can keep them from falling, let us burn incense before them. But if, notwithstanding the paper flowers and joss sticks, they fall, why, let the clean, swift current of contempt sweep them from our memories. And let us set other idols in their places. Not, if we can help it, another man, though even that is better than vacancy, with its bitter-sweet recollections and regrets.

M. W. will have more than the usual difficulty in doing this. For her occupation, with its long, silent hours, is one that tends to morbidness and introspection.

She will have to get out

NEWS OF THE
THEATRES

The biggest hit in "Home Folks" is made by three naked boys in barrels. Their clothes have been hidden from them while they were disposing themselves in "the old swimmin' hole," and staves and hoops are their only available garments.

Because of this they are called out before the curtain. Not only the naked boys in barrels caught the favor of last night's house at the Olympic, but all the children in the cast of Dasey's play, based on James Whitcomb Riley's poem of the same name, are so good as to make one regret that the play is not built around them even more than it is. They are really a delicious lot of youngsters, and a production along native domestic drama lines, with such a group of Illinois Tom Sawyers and Huck Finns and their pantaleeted girl sweethearts for its human centerpieces, would be distinctly refreshing.

And just a twist of the playwright's wrist would have done it. "I'm curious to know what the people of Illinois River town within 40 miles of St. Louis will think of 'Home Folks,'" because Mr. Dasey has essayed to do for them what Gus Thomas did for our own Missourians of Pike County, and what George Ade has done for his Indiana townfolk. The village of Red Oak, which figures in the Dasey play, was the author's birthplace, under its proper name, and he claims to have held the mirror up to nature in presenting this staged story of an Illinois town within an hour's ride of St. Louis.

Maybe they'll come over and see themselves as Dasey sees them. "Home Folks," when you get away from its types and dialect, is a melodrama, but that's no fault. Its time is just two years after the close of the civil war and those were still dramatic times, in Illinois as well as in Missouri. Dan Kintrell—wonder if that last name is a variation of Missouri's own Quantrell—ex-guerrilla chief and afterwards a horse-thief "rustler" of the river bottom lands, is not an impossible character of the time and environment, so, granting this, you have the warrant for what happens. The "Kintrell gang" in its ramifications is the dark and sinister cloud hanging over what would otherwise be purely a pastoral comedy.

The novelty of the play is found in the number of children in its cast. There are more than a dozen of them—I counted 13 in one group, and several more showed up later. They're homely artists, these children, regular country boys and girls, and last night's audience was genuinely curious to know where they were picked up and how they were trained. It is for this reason I volunteer the information that they represent the St. Manager Lamb's most strenuous countryside exertions as a discoverer and developer of juvenile talent.

And then again I have to deplore that they are not made the real, undisputed, blown-in-the-bottle stars of the cast.

Edwin Arden, once of St. Louis, is John Selby, the hero of the play, and Archie Boyd, another St. Louisan, is the leading comedian. Both are good, but Arthur Sanders, an old Mat Niles, the richest man in Red Oak Township, carried off last night's honors by a character creation as quality funny as it was truthful. These things will happen, you know, even in the best-regulated theatrical families and right at home.

"Home Folks" is generously staged and played by a capable company of adults in addition to its astonishing children. The majority of the latter are nameless on the program—and isn't that a pity, considering the relative importance of their hit?

HENSHAW AT THE CENTURY.

John E. Henshaw is doing what he can to hold his own with the horse show this week. He galloped upon the Century Theater stage last night in a sorrel suit, a large diamond horse-show pin, a pair of non-interfering gaiters, a surcingle watchchain and a track vest.

The popular appetite for things equine is quite appeased by looking the smiling Henshaw over, especially when the eye discovers his glowing red mane. He remains the chief comedian of the George Ade musical piece, "The Shogun," and the quality of dignified likableness "is as noticeable of him as ever. Henshaw is a little more distinguished than any other funny men on the musical stage, and he wears excellently. He handles the Ade wit in a way to give his audiences the better side of it. He made a deal of fun last night, and the piece was big and pretty in its chorus and settings.

"The Shogun" has a fine company, much pretty music, considerable of Ade at his best, and such good singers as Genevieve Day, Agnes Cain Brown and Douglas Ruthven.

NOW TO WELCOME GRACE!

If Grace Van Studdiford isn't pleased with the magnitude and quality of the reception which awaits her when she appears in "Lady Teazle" at the Garrick tonight, what can she expect? It can be said that the very swag of her house is going to be filled with as fine an audience as can be mustered in the star's own town. This is the sure promise of the advance sale at the box office.

There is not only a friendly desire to welcome the St. Louis Lady Teazle to the Queen's theatre, but also a very keen curiosity to witness the production itself. We've all heard that it ran so nights ago, the very swag of New York Casino, that it won at least 400,000 and carried Chicago by storm, and we want to see and hear it. The outlook now is that the Garrick will be crowded to the doors every night, and at the one and only matinee, that of Saturday.

"Miss" Van Studdiford, as the astute Shuberts insist upon billing Charley Van Studdiford's wife, arrived in St. Louis this morning.

AN I. O. U. THAT'S PAID.

It's curious how they manage to work in a native Maori chant and dance in a New Zealand fern jungle in Kolo and Dill's musical absurdity, "I. O. U.," which opened to crowded houses at the Grand yesterday, but anything likely to happen to a couple of German comedians modeled along Rogers Bros. lines. They're funny, too, are Kolo and Dill, and their tribulations while trying to run a nonunion hotel kept their audiences highly amused through several hours of the afternoon. The very swag of New York Casino, that it won at least 400,000 and carried Chicago by storm, and we want to see and hear it. The outlook now is that the Garrick will be crowded to the doors every night, and at the one and only matinee, that of Saturday.

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SHE HAD A DOUBTING HUSBAND.

A good woman's sufferings under the burden of a "doubting Thomas" sort of husband and the weeping tongues of busy scandal-mongers is the theme of "A Wife's Secret," which began a week's engagement at the Imperial yesterday. It's the sort of story that makes a strong appeal to the feminine heart, and there were more than a few damp handkerchiefs and tear-dimmed eyes before the last curtain fell at either the matinee or evening performance. But, happily, feminine players never so fully feel that they're getting their money's worth as when a play makes them cry, so it's likely that "A Wife's Secret" will do exceedingly well this week. The strain of pathos which runs through the play is relieved here and there by comical touches. This gives opportunity for a lessening of the atmospheric humidity that might otherwise become oppressive. The company in support of Virginia Thornton is capable.

MELODRAMA BY THE HOUSEFUL.

What I like about "The House of Mystery," which opened at Havlin's with matinee and evening performances yesterday, is that it doesn't throw you down in the matter of expectations aroused by the title. It's good, marrow-moving melodrama, and the climax of the story, reached in the third act, where the mysterious institution into the terrible order of the Black Hand is shown, makes you sit on the edge of your chair and have creepy feelings run up and down your nape. As a matter of course, it wouldn't do at all to tell you the secret of "The House of Mystery" story, because there wouldn't be any mystery about it. But if you go to Havlin's this week with a mind free of foreknowledge you'll enjoy a melodramatic treat—and that's what most of us like exceeding well, else Conan Doyle wouldn't be the big man he is in contemporary literature. There was some delay in beginning yesterday's matinee, due to the nonarrival of scenery and costumes, but improvised makeshifts were finally brought into service.

"SCHUTZENLIS'S" VERY FUNNY.

At the Odéon last night the German stock company proved to us that we're not the only people who have a fine sense of humor on musical comedy. They brought out for our delectation Steffens and Treptow's melodious farce, "Schutzenlis's," with their new leading soubrette, Emilie Schoenfeld, in the title part. The music is very catchy, there's a plenty of dancing and chorus singing, and the story is as quickly told as some of the mock-heroic folk tales acted by the Buzbars at their annual swabstests in Concordia Park. Frida Kahle, the second soubrette, did very well, too, last night, and Herr Klissling, in the tenor role, made a distinct hit.

COLUMBIA'S NEW BILL TONIGHT.

The Fadette Orchestra, the famous Boston organization of feminine musicians, will be the leading feature of the Columbia new bill, opening tonight. Among the other attractions are Edda, the illusionist; T. Nelson Downs, coin manipulator; Peckham Brown, European musical comiques; Benney's trained dogs and ponies; Raffi Bros., song and dance; Joe Newman, the Denver singing humorist; and Cull and Johnson, the little St. Louis boy-and-girl song-and-dance team.

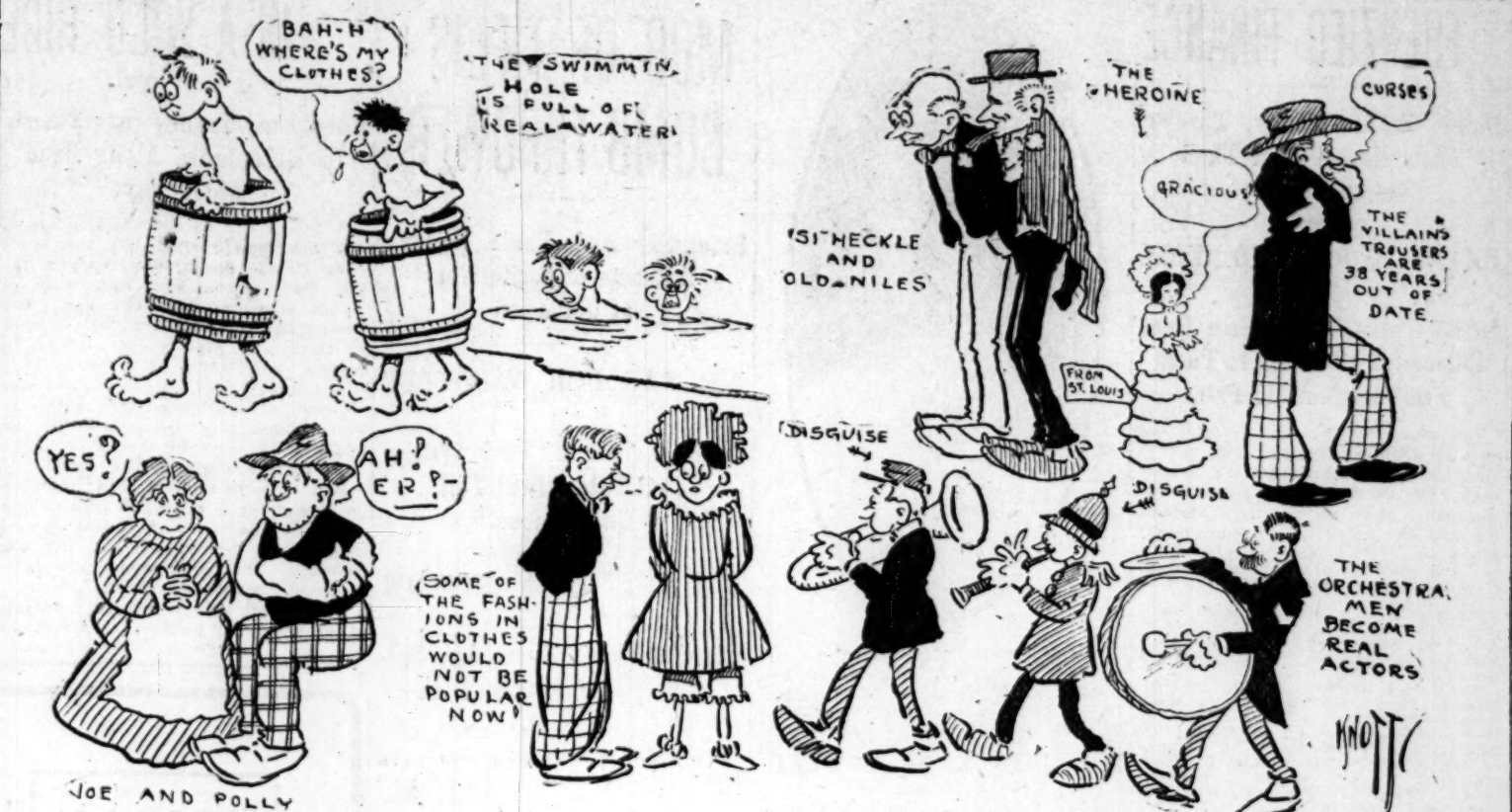
"DAINTY PAREE" AT THE STANDARD.

"Dainty Paree" began a week's engagement at the Standard yesterday afternoon and evening. The Vano's handcut manipulators, to the leading specialty feature of the week's bill.

BON TONS AT THE GAYETY.

At the Gayety the Bon Tons began the week with matinee and night performances. Vaudeville and light selections, dancing and extravaganzas, are included in the entertainment.

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Says It Is Disgrace to Be
Physically Incapable.

WICKED CAN'T KEEP UP

Ashamed to Show His Face in
Heaven at Less Than
70 Years.

The Rev. Dr. Ira Landrith of Nashville, Tenn., addressing a meeting of men at the Y. M. C. A. Sunday afternoon, showed that his manner of thinking is more like that of Roosevelt than of his features. Dr. Landrith does not advocate the Simple Life.

"The Man for the Twentieth Century" was his subject. The sort of man this must be is indicated by one of his remarks:

"A man must be well physically to

SOME THINGS WHICH DR. LANDRITH SAYS.

I would be ashamed to show my face in Heaven at less than 70 years of age.

It is a disgrace to be physically incapable of grasping opportunities.

The reason men from the farm succeed in the city is because they get acquainted with the man.

Bad habits are as hard to learn as good ones, and life is too short to spend time learning anything but good habits.

To fail in the twentieth century is the unpardonable sin.

succeed. The Twentieth Century is strenuous, full of temptations; it is a century of enthusiasm and enlightenment. Every man must be well enough, wise enough and good enough to accept the invitations of opportunity. To fail in this century is the unpardonable sin.

"Decay physically is certain to be accompanied by moral decay. We should build our bodies to stand a life of earnest, profitable living. I would be ashamed to show my face in heaven under the age of 70."

Wicked Can't Keep Up.

"Besides being well, a man must be a man. The wicked no more than the

weak can keep up with the procession. In behalf of their own interests, the great corporations of the present day forbid even mild drinking on the part of their employees. Young men ought to be offered them. The question is not how to get ahead, but how to get a job.

This is a century of opportunities and to persons who are passing in it is a wasted life.

To persons who remarked that he resembles President Roosevelt, Dr. Landrith said that he admired Roosevelt, though he could not agree with him in many things.

I wish, for instance, that the President were able to note the difference between blonds and brunettes," was his manner of speaking of the Booker T. Washington dinner incident.

The coolest place in town for good eating, Laughlin Cafe, 7th and Locust streets.

PASTOR ASHWOOD RESIGNS.

Rev. John W. Ashwood, tendered his resignation as pastor of Grand Avenue United Presbyterian Church Sunday, to accept a call to First United Presbyterian Church in Cambridge, O. The resignation will be submitted at the meeting of St. Louis Presbytery in about two weeks. Rev. Ashwood has been pastor of the Grand Avenue Church for 15 years, and efforts will be made to induce him to stay.

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Special to the Post-Dispatch.

FLAT RIVER, Mo., Oct. 8.—Lying prostrate, with both bones in his left ankle broken by a pistol ball, Buck Semar, saloon keeper at Claytown, a mining village two miles from here, fought a fierce revolver duel with men who broke into his place of business last night, blew open his safe and carried off \$300 in cash and \$1200 in negotiable paper.

Whether he hit either of the two men Semar does not know, but he believes that it was his opening fire on them that made them overlook \$300 in cash.

That is enough to save his leg, he says, and spare some.

The men escaped on horseback, leaving Semar the somewhat doubtful victor in the fight, for, he says, he got a good description of them, so that he can identify either of them if caught.

They are men who have been seen in the village several times.

Chase and Capture.

After the men had gone Semar crawled home and gave the alarm.

Sheriff Croke of Farmington was telephoned to and responded with a posse, which went to Bismarck, toward which point the robbers headed.

They beat him to the point, however, and abandoning their horses got on a south-bound Iron Mountain train and left.

Iron Mountain was telephoned and Sheriff Marshall responded and headed off the train at that point, but the robbers, evidently anticipating such a move, had left the train.

Then began a hunt through the country.

All the towns and villages in a radius of 20 miles were telephoned to be on the lookout for the two men, one 5 feet 9 inches high and weighing 180 pounds and dressed in blue overalls and wearing a straw hat, and the other about 5 feet 7 inches, dressed in a dark suit and smooth shaven.

Early this morning two men answering these descriptions entered Des Arc, Mo.

The Marshal of Bismarck, Mo., who had joined in the chase, happened to be on the ground and arrested them and notified Sheriff Croke of St. Francis County. He is now on his way there to bring them to Claytown for Semar to identify, and if they are the right parties place them in jail.

Semar Opens the Battle.

Semar was awakened by the sound of an explosion in his saloon, which adjoins his residence. Revolver in hand, he crept downstairs and out into the roadway, failing to notice that his movements were being watched by a sentinel posted behind a tree. Peering into the window, he saw a masked man moving among the ruins of his safe, working by lantern light.

Semar took careful aim and sent a bullet crashing through the window at the kneeling figure. The light was extinguished. Semar fired a second time. At the same time the sentinel outside opened fire on Semar. The saloon keeper fell, shot through the left leg. Then the desperado deliberately emptied his revolver at the prostrate figure, Semar answering each shot with one from his own revolver. Not a word was spoken during the fusillade.

Flight of Robbers.

The safeblower emerged from the saloon while the two men outside were reloading their revolvers. With a parting shot at the victim, the pair mounted horses and rode away at a gallop. Semar managed to crawl to the door of his residence, where he aroused his family, and the authorities were notified.

The men entered Semar's saloon by means of a skeleton key. Nitroglycerin was the explosive used. The revolver duel caused them to abandon or to overlook \$300 in the safe and \$60 in the cash register. The \$1400 which they secured consisted of about \$200 in cash and \$1200 in negotiable paper.

Semar's condition is reported as critical. The shot pierced his leg just above the ankle, breaking both bones. He could not state whether, any of his shots took effect.

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AMERICAN ROYAL OPENS.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Oct. 9.—The seventh annual American Royal Live Stock Show opened at the Stock Yards here today with 22 individual entries of fine cattle. The largest previous number of entries for an American royal show was 15.

The list of judges includes Prof. C. F. Curtis, dean of the Iowa State Agricultural College; Prof. W. J. Kennedy of the same institution; R. H. Ogilvie of Chicago; Thomas Clark of Des Moines; H. Daniel Black of London, O.; J. H. Miller of Peru, Ind.; and L. M. Forbes of Henry, Ill.

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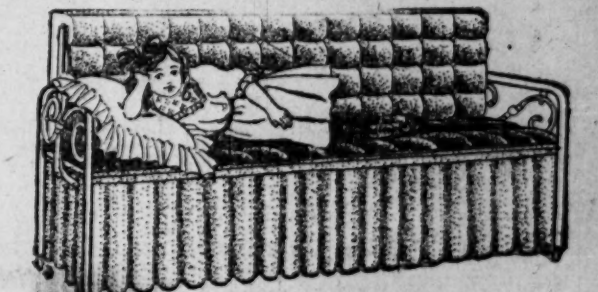
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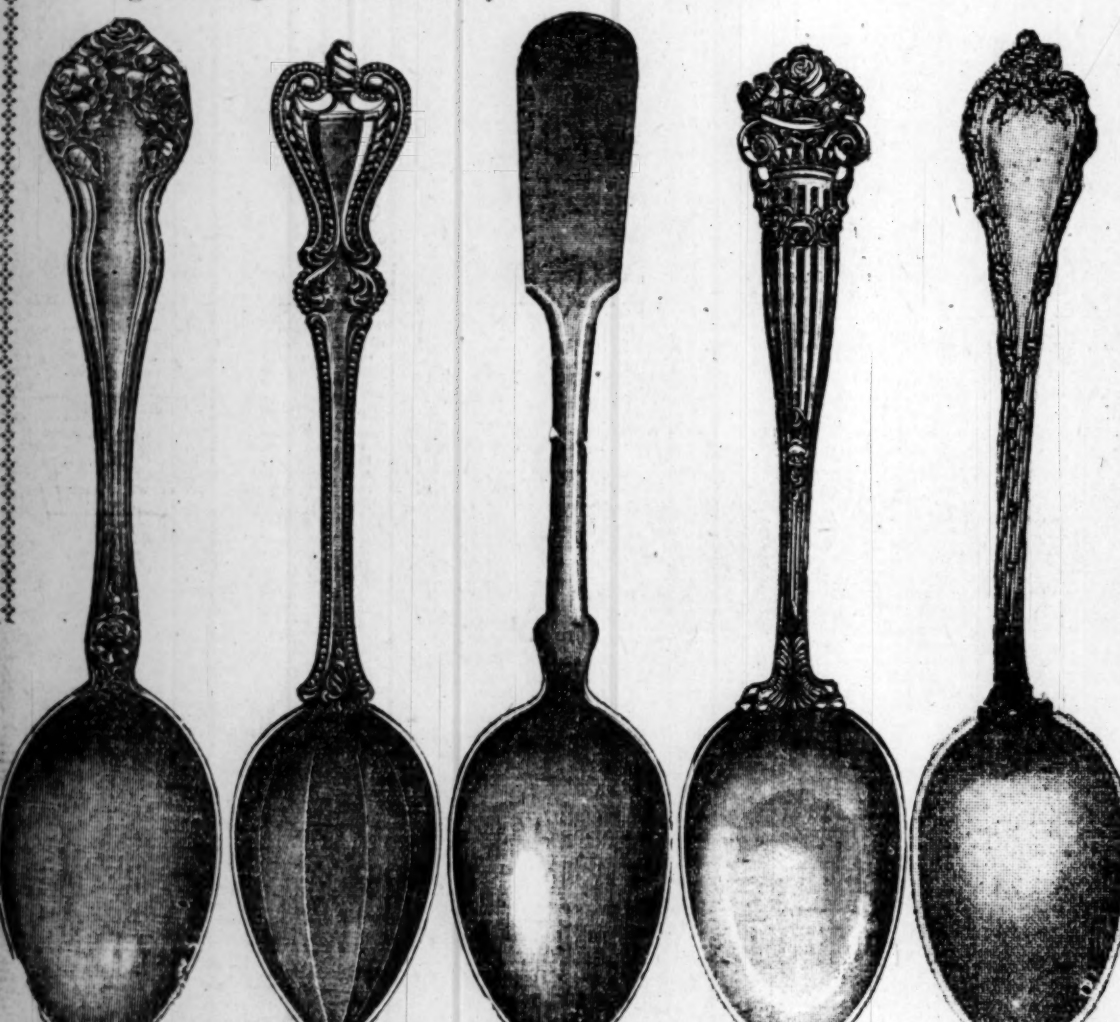
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